IN THE ABSTRACT

Please change the abstract, as attached herewith.

IN THE TITLE

Please change the title to --METHOD OF MANUFACTURING LIGHT TRANSMISSION TUBES--.

REMARKS

In filing a divisional application, clerical errors of the specification and claims have been amended.

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Abstract of the Disclosure

In manufacturing a light transmission tube, light scattering particles are dispersed in a core section formation section containing a monomer to be polymerized to form a core section, and a core section formation solution is introduced into a tubular clad. The tubular clad is placed in a horizontal position to cause the light scattering particles to precipitate onto a lower surface within the clad. Then, polymerization and solidification of the core section formation solution is conducted in the clad. Thus, a belt-like reflecting layer including the light scattering particles are located between the tubular clad and the core section in the longitudinal direction of the tubular clad.

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PROPOSED DRAWING CORRECTION

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In Fig. 1, change "A-A" to --2-2--;

In Fig. 4, change "V-V" to --5-5--;

In Fig. 5, change "VI-VI" to --6-6--;

In Fig. 9a, change "IXc-IXc" to --9c-9c--;

In Fig. 10a, change "Xc-Xc" to --10c-10c--, and change "Xd-Xd" to --10d-10d--;

In Figs. 10a, 10c and 10d, change "1" to --1'''--;

In Fig. 11a, change "XIb-XIb" to --11b-11b-;

In Fig. 11b, change "XIc-XIc" to --11c-11c--.

REMARKS

Formalities of the drawings have been amended. The corrections are indicated in red in the attached copies thereof.

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